

MY QUEEN.

STELLA.

JACQUES BLUMENTHAL.

Moderato.

f

ritard.

pp *Tempo ad lib. quasi Allegretto.*

Where and how shall I ear - li - est meet her, What are the words she first will say, By what

legato.
pp *colla voce.*

name shall I learn to greet her, I know not now, but 'twill come some day. With the selfsame sun-light

f *p* *rit.* *piu lento. p*

colla voce. *piu lento.*

p *mf cres. e accel.*

shin - ing up - on her, Stream - ing down on her ring - lets sheen, She is standing somewhere, she I would

pp *mf cres. e accel.*

ritard molto. *a tempo.*

hon - or, She that I wait for, my Queen, my Queen.

ritard molto. *a tempo.* *f* *accelerando.*

fp *Pea.*

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p poco piu agitato. *rit.* *p a tempo.*

I will not dream of her tall and state-ly, She that I

poco piu agitato. *sforz. rit.* *p* *rit.* *p a tempo.*

mf accel. *rit.* *a tempo.*

love may be fai-ry light; I will not say she should walk se-date-ly, Whatev-er she

mf accel. *rit.*

tratt. tranquillo. *p* *rit.*

does, It will sure be right. And she may be hum-ble or proud, my la-dy, Or that sweet

mf *tratt. tranquillo.* *p* *rit.*

rit. *piu moderato. p* *cantabile.*

calm, which is just between; But when-ev-er she comes, she will find me rea-dy, To do her

piu moderato. *pp* *cantabile.*

mf cres - e - poco - accel. *accel.*

hom-age, my Queen, my Queen! But when ev-er she comes, she will find me read-y, To do her

mf *accel.*

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homage, my Queen, my Queen, my Queen!

But she must be courteous, she must be ho - ly, Pure in her spirit, that maid - en I

love, Whether her birth be no - ble or low - ly, I care no more than the spir - it a -

bove. And I'll give my heart to my La - dy's keeping, And ev - er her strength on mine shall

lean, And the stars shall fall, and the an - gels be weeping, E'er I cease to love her, E'er I cease to

f *ff* *piu vivo.*

f *ff* *Ped.* *f* *ff* *3*

p *un poco mod.*

pp *un poco mod.* *pp*

rit. *a tempo.* *rit.* *p* *f* *accel.* *f*

poco ritard. *pp* *a tempo.* *rit.* *accel.* *f*

Ped. *** *Ped.* ***

ritard. *ff* *maestoso.* *f*

f *ritard.* *ff* *maestoso.* *marcato.* *f* *8va.....*

rit. *ff* *a tempo.* *marcato.* *mf* *piu agitato.*

f *rit.* *ff* *agitato.*

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love her, E'er I cease to love her, my Queen, my Queen! E'er I cease to love her, to love her, my

Queen! ah! my Queen!

f *rit.* *a tempo.* *rit.* *accel.*

ff *ff* *maestoso.* *Ped.* *accelerando.* *ff*